


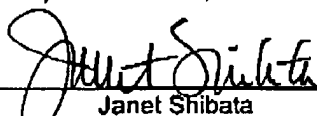
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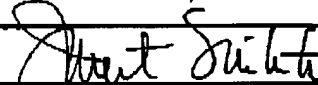
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In response to the Office action dated December 12, 2007, please enter and consider the following remarks. This response is timely filed within three months of the mailing date of the action.

The Status of the Claims is reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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